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Legislative Liaison Branch  
Washington, D. C. 20505

Telephone: [redacted]  
12 January 1982

**TO:** [redacted]  
History Staff  
Ames Building

Eulie:

Attached are the materials we  
discussed on the phone.

They relate to the legislative history  
of CIA--dated from 1944 on.

I hope they will be useful to your  
staff. The classifications vary, with a  
few marked TOP SECRET.

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Attachments

*Some background material used for [unclear] [unclear]*

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3. CIG enabling Act, 1947 and other papers on bill for the establishment of a Central Intelligence Agency. Mostly UNC, some CONF. (about 1")
4. Copy of the Hearings before the Committee on Expenditures in the Exec. Dept. of the House of HR 2319, the Nat. Sec. Act of 1947, UNC. (1 1/2" x 1 1/2")
5. <sup>BILL</sup> Merger/Hearing Papers (1/2")
6. <sup>useful</sup> Legislative History..Working file- JMC (a good 2 1/2")
7. CIA ENABLING ACT - 1948 (Secret) (1/2")
8. Genesis of Intelligence, OSS, SSU, etc. World War II. James B. Donovan Pres. Direc. Estab. NIA
9. Another Merger Bill, National Sec. Act of 1947 (see #2 above)
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11. Statement of Lt. Gen. Hoyt S. Vandenberg to Armed Services Committee of Senate re S. 768, "The National Security Act of 1947."
12. Presidential Directive (H.S. Truman on NIA & CIG, 22 Jan 1946.
13. Developments of Central Intelligence   ILLEGIB (Penrose papers...that evidently were influential in phrasing the directive of 22 Jan 1946.)

The Donovan Plan for estab. of CIA

Many memos and letters from leading govt. officials re studies, committees, problems, plans and modifications relating to the NIA.

The Presidential Directive of Jan 1946.

Several different charts, etc., as to how the NIA and CIA should look

14. Legislative History - Misc. Material --  
Congressional Record -- Senate & House minutes of record re Administration of CIA
15. Hearing on nomination of Lt. Gen. Walter B. Smith to be Director of CIA Aug 24, 1950
16. Portions of the National Security Act of 1947
17. Letters from Hillenkoetter to many members of the Senate and the House for their interest and assistance in securing the passage of the bill for CIA.  
Also...many press and wire clips of the passage of HR 2663  
CIA LEGISLATION, 81st Congress.
18. Material for Chapter X of the Leg. History on the Act for 1947.
19. A package of documents noted as National Security Act - Bills...(possibly to be included with 18 above.)

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20. A section marked "3"...presumably the Background portion of Chapter III.
  21. Various pages from the National Defense Establishment publication
  22. Package of documents dealing with legislative matters to be taken up with Congress on ~~the~~ various issues -- laws and amendments, etc.
  23. Statement of the Director of CIA before the House Armed Services Committee - 8 Apr 1948... (drafts of statement and also Congressional Record of same.
  24. Copies of Congressional Records -- all dealing with various sections of the administration of CIA and the Nat. Sec. Bills. This section could probably be added to # 4. above.
- MY NOTE TO BERTIE -- it would be nice if we could get a copy of this history for our files...should this be impossible or impractical...believe we should find out where the original is, and make a note to be included in a folder with the Table of Contents that was ~~included~~ in this collection; also...list this on our "List of Histories", with author, date, etc., for future ref.
25. Content pages... (1 copies)  
In most cases, ~~from~~ first and last pages of each Chapter have been copied; A name index, a subject index and footnote pages beginning with #99 - 154.

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DOCUMENTS FROM THE LEGISLATIVE OFFICE

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1. A Legislative History of the CIA (corrected copy)\*  
National Security Act of 1947 prepared by OLC, 25 Jul 67  
15 pp Footnotes (1-154)  
125 pp (Foreword, & 10 Chapters), in green covers  
  
\* (another xerox copy and also a "corrected" corrected copy.) SECRET
2. A Addendum to Legislative History (Steno transcript of -- 172 pp)  
Hearings before the Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, House of Reps. June 27, 1947  
  
Addendum No. 1 to Volume 1,  
2 copies in green covers SECRET
3. A Addendum to Legislative History Reporting the floor discussion on National Security Act of 1947 in the Senate 7 July 1947 and 9 July 1947  
  
Addendum No. 2 to Volume 1  
In green covers UNCLASSIFIED
4. A Addendum to Legislative History Reporting the floor discussion on National Security Act of 1947 in the House, 19 July 1947 and 23 July 1947  
  
Addendum No. 3 to Volume 1,  
in green cover UNCLASSIFIED
5. A Statement of the Director of Central Intelligence before the House Armed Services Committee, 8 April 1948, 113 pp, xerox copy SECRET

6. **A** Office of Legislative Counsel Annual Reports 1960-1973\* SECRET  
Information on CIA relations with Congress, appearances, hearings, briefings, legislation, bills, budget, investigations.  
Reports by George Carey, John Maury & John Warner.  
\* NO report for 1963.
7. **A** One folder on History WATERGATE UNCLASSIFIED
8. **A** One folder on History - Joint Committee on Foreign Intelligence SECRET
9. **A** One folder on History - Congressional Oversight SECRET/Sensitive
10. **A** Legislative History of the CIA SECRET  
(Outline of work)  
Typed draft, with many portions taken from Congressional Records pasted on pages...obviously the first attempt at pulling together information).